

Notes to myself . . .



**DILLSBURG BIC CHURCH**  
GROWING DEEP REACHING FAR

March 1, 2026 - 10:00 Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening & Welcome

Scripture Reading: Psalm 47

Songs of Worship

Prayers of the Community

Gift of Music

Prayer of Thanksgiving

My Faith Looks Up to Thee #385

Message: Beginning with Moses...  
Genesis 37-50

My Hope is Built #427

Prayer and Closing

Postlude

*\*\*There will be individuals available to pray with you at the front of the sanctuary following worship.\*\**

**Easter Choir rehearsals** will be held in the sanctuary on March 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29 from 3:00-4:30 p.m. The choir will be singing April 5 for the Easter service. Please contact Randy Fish with any questions.

**Would you like to make a pot of lamb or beef soup for our Maundy Thursday meal on April 2?** Please contact Esther Spurrier (espurrier49@gmail.com or 717-578-0243). The deacons will supply the meat and the recipe.

**Our Family Promise hosting week** is coming soon. It will begin on March 15th and continue through the 22nd. If you are interested in helping with this event, please find more information and sign up links at <https://www.dillsburgbic.org/family-promise/> Contact Scott or Cindy Raboci with questions.

**Thrift on Purpose** in Mechanicsburg is a nonprofit **thrift shop** whose net proceeds support the relief, development, and peace work of **Mennonite Central Committee** and respond to needs in our local community. We can only succeed with the help of faithful volunteers who serve one-time, weekly, or monthly—individually or in small groups. Right now, we especially **need volunteers to help process clothing and craft donations**, working in teams of 1–4 people to sort items for about two hours (with breaks). If your church is looking for a meaningful way to serve together, we would love to welcome you to join us! **For more information about volunteering**, contact Willow (volunteer coordinator/retail assistant manager) by e-mail: [volunteer@thriftonpurpose.org](mailto:volunteer@thriftonpurpose.org) OR call Thrift on Purpose at 717-795-4384 and ask for Willow.

**Peace Promise's 2026 For Love & Freedom Annual Benefit:** On March 14, 2026, at Messiah University's Calvin and Janet High Center, we will be celebrating moments of God's faithfulness from our beginnings as a prayer movement in 2008 through today. Join us for hors d'oeuvres, mocktails and desserts starting at 6 p.m., with our program beginning at 7 p.m. in the High Center's Parmer Hall auditorium. Tickets are \$45 per ticket; groups of 8 or more tickets purchased together can be purchased at \$40 per ticket if you used the discount code FLAFGROUP. More information and ticket sales can be found at [www.peacepromise.org/for-love-and-freedom](http://www.peacepromise.org/for-love-and-freedom).

**The church nursery is open** during the 10:00 a.m. worship service for children ages 0-4 (any kids not yet in kindergarten). You can sign in your children in the nursery room (next to the library) and pick them up after the service.

### Welcome Guests!

To better connect with you, we encourage you to email us at [connect@dillsburgbic.org](mailto:connect@dillsburgbic.org).

### This Week's Prayer Focus

Matt & Julie Walsh (Western Africa);  
B & MB (Sensitive Location);  
Family Promise;  
Dillsburg Senior Center.

Do you have a prayer request?

Would you like:

To receive emailed prayer requests?

To receive the weekly DBIC email?

A church mailbox?

Offering envelopes?

You can contact us by email at

[connect@dillsburgbic.org](mailto:connect@dillsburgbic.org) or by using the individual contact info below.

### Statistical Notes February 15, 2026

**Attendance:** 160 in-person; 70 online

#### **Offering**

**Worship** \$ 13,733.00

#### **Y-T-D Statistics:**

**General Fund Budget** \$ 68,401.12

**General Fund Giving** \$ 69,861.00

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### **This Week's Calendar**

#### Today

3:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

#### Wednesday

9:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study

6:30 pm Shine

6:30 pm Thrive

6:30 pm Sharing and Prayer (Zoom)

#### Thursday

6:30 pm Fresh Hope

7:30 pm Zoom Prayer

#### Next Sunday

Daylight Savings Time begins

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship

3:00 pm Choir Rehearsal